

SUPREME COURT OF ARKANSAS

No. 08-990

VERA HAY

APPELLANT,

VS.

ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF
HUMAN SERVICES AND S.S., M.H., &
B.M.

APPELLEES,

Opinion Delivered September 11, 2008

JOINT MOTION FOR
SUBSTITUTION OF APPELLATE
COUNSEL

MOTION GRANTED.

PER CURIAM

Leah Lanford, the court-appointed attorney *ad litem* for juveniles S.S., M..H., and B.M., and Keith L. Chrestman, a qualified part-time attorney *ad litem*, filed a joint motion for substitution of appellate counsel to allow Lanford to withdraw as counsel and to appoint Chrestman as the attorney *ad litem* on appeal. Pursuant to Ark. Sup. Ct. R. 6-10 (2008), “[a]fter the notice of the appeal has been filed with the Circuit Clerk, the appellate court shall have exclusive jurisdiction to relieve counsel and appoint new counsel.” Thus, we grant the motion to substitute Chrestman as the attorney *ad litem* in this case.

Motion granted.